



Commonwealth  
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Center for Health  
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# All Payer Claims Database Data Volume Reports

## 2008 - 2012

### March 2013

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts established an All Payer Claims Database (APCD) in 2010 as one of the largest data collection efforts undertaken by the state. Regulation 114.5 CMR 21.00, Health Care Payer Claims Data Submissions, requires health insurance payers to submit medical, pharmacy, and dental claims, as well as information about member eligibility, benefit design, and providers to the Center for Health Information and Analysis (CHIA) for Massachusetts residents. The goals of the APCD are to provide administrative simplification to payers and to provide access to timely, accurate, and relevant data for improving quality, mitigating costs, and promoting transparency in the health care delivery system.

The charts below depict the number of records submitted to the Center as of December 2012 by health insurance payers. These Data Volume Reports are a concise way of presenting the amount of APCD data collected by year and file type.

Please feel free to submit any questions related to the reports to the Center's APCD mailbox: [CHIA-APCD@state.ma.us](mailto:CHIA-APCD@state.ma.us).

Thank you for your interest in the All Payer Claims Database.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts-Center for Health Information and Analysis (CHIA)  
APCD Data Volume Reports 2008-2012 (based on data received by 12/19/2012)

Medco Containment Life Insurance Company														
File Type*	Submission Year	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total
PR	2010	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
PR	2011	0	0	2	0	2	2	0	0	2	0	0	2	10
PR	2012	0	0	2	0		2	0	0	2				6
ME	2009	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13,665	13665
ME	2010	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19,930	19930
ME	2011	17,701	17,526	17,462	17,348	17,262	17,167	17,084	16,809	16,777	16,764	16,784	16,732	205,416
ME	2012	18,231	18,084	17,987	17,797	17,742	17,697	17,642	17,586	17,469	17,504	17,460		195,199
PV	2011	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PV	2012	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MC	2008	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MC	2009	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MC	2010	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MC	2011	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MC	2012	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PC	2008	4,009	5,601	5,510	5,564	8,019	5,477	5,323	7,881	15,487	24,495	15,774	15,886	119,026
PC	2009	16,044	19,257	19,736	31,291	22,631	22,792	23,645	32,899	33,098	51,236	35,187	35,912	343,728
PC	2010	58,210	46,824	48,191	60,327	49,498	49,109	61,209	50,330	53,581	66,068	58,272	71,626	673,245
PC	2011	21,661	13,206	14,962	15,810	13,172	12,778	15,130	13,010	16,970	12,878	13,508	16,204	179,289
PC	2012	14,666	16,775	21,647	17,305	16,880	19,812	16,458	20,804	16,138	17,240	20,163		197,888
DC	2008	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DC	2009	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DC	2010	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DC	2011	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DC	2012	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

**\*Key:** PR=Product Records; ME=Member Eligibility Records; PV=Provider Records; MC=Medical Claim Lines; PC=Pharmacy Claim Lines; and DC=Dental Claim Lines.

**The Volume Report presents the APCD inventory as of December 2012 and reflects the related compliance requirements:**

- Medical, pharmacy, and dental submissions are required monthly beginning January 2008.
- Provider submissions are required monthly beginning January 2011. The May 2011 submission contains historical records from 2008 through May 2011.
- Product submissions are required quarterly beginning December 2010. The May 2011 submission contains historical records from 2008 through 2010 plus 2011, quarter one.
- Member eligibility submissions are required monthly beginning in January 2011. Prior to 2011, payers were required to submit two eligibility files: a December 2009 eligibility submission covering calendar years 2008 and 2009, and a December 2010 eligibility submission covering calendar years 2009 and 2010. Eligibility files contain data for twenty-four months of member eligibility.
- The APCD liaisons monitor and enforce compliance rules and authorize exceptions. Some carriers have incomplete data due to: exemptions from filing, limited claim or member base, phasing into APCD and are currently in testing or ramping up their production data filings, are in the process of updating specific submissions, and /or non-compliance.

**These numbers represent the number of records submitted, not actual counts of members, providers, products or claims.**





